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GREENOUGH'S SPECIFICATION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, I, THOMAS GREENOUGH, of the Parish of Saint Martin Ludgate, Apothecary, send greeting.

WHEREAS His most Excellent Majesty King George the Second, by His
5 Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing date the
Thirty-first day of October, in the thirty-first year of His reign, did give and
grant unto me, the said Thomas Greenough, His speciall licence that I, the
said Thomas Greenough, during the term of years therein expressed, should
and lawfully might use, exercise, and vend, within England, Wales, and the
10 Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, and Plantations abroad, my "NEW-INVENTED
MEDICINES FOR GIVING IMMEDIATE RELEIF IN PAINS AND DISORDERS OF THE STOMACH
AND BOWELS AND OTHER MEMBRANEOUS PARTS OF THE BODY;" in which said
Letters Patent there is contained a proviso obliging me, the said Thomas
Greenough, under my hand and seal, to cause a particular description of the
15 nature of the said Inventions, to be inrolled in His Majesty's High Court
of Chancery within four calendar months after the date of the said recited
Letters Patent, as in and by the same, relation being thereunto had, may
more fully and at large appear.

NOW KNOW YEE, that in compliance with the said proviso, I, the said
20 Thomas Greenough, do hereby declare that one of the medicines, which is
called the volatile balsam, is prepared of the several materials, and in the
same proportions thereof, as is contained in the receipt first hereafter men-
tioned, that is to say:—

Unite one part of the universal acid, concentrated as much as possible,
25 with three parts of highly dephlegmated alcohol. Extract from these the

Greenough's Medicine.

mineral anodine liquor of Hoffmann; take eight parts of this mineral anodyne liquor, two parts of vegetable expressed oil rendred, essentiall, that is, soluble in spirits of wine, a small quantity of the same oil not rendred essentiall, the same of animal oil well purified, half a part of the same united to an alkali, about one sixteenth part of oil of lavender, and about one thirtieth 5 part of the prepared fæcula of the Indian woad, which being digested together a sufficient time, pour of the clear liquor.

And I, the said Thomas Greenough, do hereby further declare, that the other of my said new-invented medicine, which is called stomatick lozenges, is prepared of the several materials, and in the same proportions thereof, as is 10 contained in the receipt hereafter also mentioned, that is to say:—

Extract from either the nitrous or marine motherwater the substance called the solutive panacæa, and free it entirely from its fixed air. Mix it well with its equal weight of double-refined sugar, and add to it about a two-hundredth part of the essence of carraway seeds, near the same quantity of 15 that of the cerasus trapezuntina of Parkinson, the like quantity of the essentiall oil of lemons, and a sufficient quantity of the extract of the lapathum Hortense of Caspar Baukine, to form cakes or lozenges.

In witness whereof, I, the said Thomas Greenough, have hereunto set my hand and seal, the Sixteenth day of February, 1758. 20

THO. GREENOUGH. (L.S.)

R. EDWARDS. AND BE IT REMEMBRED, that on the Sixteenth day of February, in the year above written, the aforesaid Thomas Greenough came before our Lord the King in His Chancery, and acknowledged the Writing aforesaid, and every matter and thing therein contained and specified, in form above 25 said. And the said Writing was stamped according the Statute made in the sixth year of the reign of the late King William and Queen Mary, and so forth.

Inrolled the Eighteenth day of February, in the thirty-first year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Second, 1758. 30

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